

Date:

February 27, 2015

To:

Patrick H. West, City Manager Till-

From:

Amy J. Bodek, Director of Development Services

For:

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

Subject:

My Brother's Keeper Local Action Summit

On January 20, 2015, the City Council adopted a Resolution supporting President Obama's "My Brother's Keeper" Community Challenge. In addition, City Council received and filed a status report on efforts with the City of Long Beach in support of this initiative.

Next steps for the My Brother's Keeper Community Challenge calls upon city leaders to convene a Local Action Summit within 45 days of accepting the challenge. The Summit will take place on March 5, 2015 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Ernest McBride Park, 1550 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., Long Beach. This Summit will include key public and private sector stakeholders to assess needs, determine priorities and develop objectives.

For further information, please contact Tracy Colunga, Neighborhood Relations Officer, in Development Services at Ext. 8-4413.

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cc: Tom Modica, Assistant City Manager Arturo Sanchez, Deputy City Manager Angela Reynolds, Deputy Director of Development

MY BROTHER'S KEEPER SUMMIT

Long Beach has joined the Obama Administration's "My Brother's Keeper" Community Challenge!

The City of Long Beach Invites You to Attend the My Brother's Keeper Local Action Community Summit

The City is hosting a Local Action Summit with the Obama Administration and key stakeholders to assess needs and assets, determine priorities, and set goals to ensure that Long Beach youth:

- Enter school ready to learn.
- Read at grade level by the third grade.
- Graduate from high school.
- Complete postsecondary education or training.
- Enter the workforce.
- Reduce violence and be provided a second chance.

Thursday March 5 2015

6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Ernest McBride Park 1550 Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave. Long Beach, CA 90813

Be a part of the Challenge!



Please RSVP to Bryan Avila, (562) 570.6812 or bryan.avila@longbeach.gov.



To learn more about the My Brother's Keeper Community Challenge visit www.whitehouse.gov/my-brothers-keeper.



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